



**MONROE CITY COUNCIL**  
**Legislative Affairs Committee Special Meeting**  
Tuesday, June 14, 2016, 6 P.M.  
Council Conference Room, City Hall

**MINUTES**

**I. Call to Order**

A regular meeting of the City of Monroe Legislative Affairs Committee was held on June 14, 2016. The meeting was called to order by Councilmember Kamp at 6:00 p.m. in the Permit Center area of City Hall.

Council Present: Jim Kamp, Kevin Hanford, and Kirk Scarboro  
Mayor Present: none  
Staff Present: Gene R. Brazel, City Administrator  
Lobbyist: Bryan Wahl, Green Light Strategies

**II. Approval of Minutes**

Councilmember Scarboro moved to approve the minutes of the May 10, 2016, Committee Meeting; the motion was seconded by Councilmember Kamp. Motion carried (3-0).

**III. New Business<sup>1</sup>**

A. 2017 Legislative Priorities

Mr. Bryan Wahl, Green Light Strategies (GLS), the City's Lobbying Firm, presented information on the 2017 Legislative Session and Priorities, including: establishment of 2017 priorities; timeline; 2017 session – hot topics (budget); list of issues; prioritization; categorization; and priority items (522, Main Street Program, Lake Tye Ballfields).

GLS will prepare a draft list of legislative issues and draft priorities pamphlet and bring back for review by the Legislative Affairs Committee at the July 12, 2016, Meeting.

**IV. Unfinished Business**

A. MMC 2.26, Term Limits for Elected Officials (Ordinance No. 001/2012)

General discussion ensued regarding the current code, advisory vote taken prior to the adoption of Ordinance No. 001/2012, and term limits alternatives. City Administrator Gene Brazel will follow-up with the City Attorney regarding options, and report back to the Committee at the August 9, 2016, Meeting.

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<sup>1</sup> CLERK'S NOTE: Agenda order rearranged at the time of the meeting.

B. At-Large Position Action Plan (2Y to 4Y)

General discussion ensued regarding alternatives for transitioning the 2-Year Council at-large position to a 4-Year position. City Administrator Brazel will follow-up with the City Attorney regarding options, and report back to the Committee at the August 9, 2016, Meeting.

**V. Other – NONE**

**VI. Next Committee Meeting** (September 13, 2016)

Items for the agenda include MMC 2.26, Term Limits for Elected Officials (Ordinance No. 001/2012), and the at-large council position.

**VII. Adjournment**

Councilmember Hanford moved to adjourn the July 12, 2016, Legislative Affairs Committee Meeting; the motion was seconded by Councilmember Scarboro. Motion approved (3-0).

The meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.